

RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT
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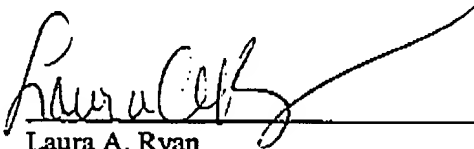
REMARKS

✓ In response to the Restriction Requirement mailed on March 11, 2003, applicant elects, without traverse, Embodiment I (claims 1-12). Applicant respectfully cancels remaining claims 13-135 without prejudice, and reserves the right to reintroduce them in a divisional application at a later date.

The Examiner is invited to contact Applicants' Representatives at the below listed telephone number if there are any questions regarding this Response or if prosecution of this application may be assisted thereby.

Respectfully submitted,

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